

ADDITIONAL CADETS AT LARGE, UNITED STATES NAVAL
ACADEMY.

JUNE 29, 1898.—Referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed.

Mr. HILBORN, from the Committee on Naval Affairs, submitted the
following

REPORT.

[To accompany S. 4808.]

The Committee on Naval Affairs, having had under consideration a bill (H. R. 8929) to amend sections 1513 and 1514, Revised Statutes of the United States, relating to the appointment of cadets at large to the Naval Academy at Annapolis, have agreed upon a substitute for the same, it being House bill 10777, authorizing the President to appoint additional cadets at large at the United States Naval Academy.

The Secretary of the Navy, in view of the increase of the naval force, earnestly recommends the action proposed.

The committee deemed it expedient to provide that the additional number of appointments be limited to five for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1899.

The Senate having passed a bill identical in terms, the committee now recommend the passage of that bill (S. 4808).